

REMARKS

Reconsideration and allowance of the present application based on the foregoing amendments and the following remarks are respectfully requested.

Claims 2-4, 6-8, 33 and 35-38 are currently pending in the present application.

The Examiner's allowance of claims 35-38 is acknowledged and appreciated. To secure allowance for claim 37, it has been amended to independent form to include all the limitations of claims 1 and 5 from which it previously depended. Claim 38 remains dependent on allowable claim 37.

Claims 2-4, 6-8 and 33 have been amended to depend from claim 37. They are now allowable based on their dependency from an allowed claim, and the prior rejections against them are moot.

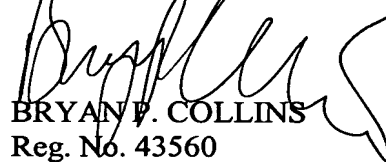
All the remaining claims have been cancelled, thus rendering any outstanding rejections moot. This cancellation is made without prejudice to pursuing those claims in a continuation application.

There being no outstanding objections and rejections, it is respectfully submitted that the present application is in a condition for allowance, and a Notice to that effect is earnestly solicited.

Please charge any fees associated with the submission of this paper to Deposit Account Number 033975. The Commissioner for Patents is also authorized to credit any over payments to the above-referenced Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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